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GLENDALE POLICE SEEKING ENROLLMENT FOR MARCH 2013 CITIZEN POLICE ACADEMY

Glendale, AZ. - The Glendale Police Department is accepting applications for the upcoming Citizen Police Academy which begins on Wednesday, March 13, 2013. The application deadline of March 1st is quickly approaching!

The Citizens Academy is a **free program** designed to offer participants the opportunity to learn, hands on, about many Glendale Police Operations, such as the use of Police Canines, Crime Scene Investigations and Tactical Operations. The curriculum also includes an overview of the Glendale Police Department's Administration, Police Communications, and Community Oriented Policing.

Participants must be at least 18 years of age and undergo a background check and fingerprinting process.

All fingerprinting and completed applications must be submitted no later than Friday, March 1, 2013. The Citizen Police Academy is 11 weeks in length and is held on Wednesday nights from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm at the Glendale Regional Public Safety Training Center and Glendale Police Main Station. There will also be one Saturday class.

Applications can be downloaded and the fingerprinting schedule can be viewed from the Glendale Police website at the following link: http://www.glendaleaz.com/police/involvement.cfm#CitizenPoliceAcademy. For further information, please contact Detective Kris Steffa at (623)930-3226 or via email at (ksteffa@glendaleaz.com).

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